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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
KENJI AIYAMA ET AL. ) : Examiner: Not Yet Assigned  
Application No.: 09/487,720 ) : Group Art Unit: 2852  
Filed: January 19, 2000 ) :  
For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS ) :  
AND IMAGE PROCESSING ) :  
METHOD IN THE APPARATUS ) April 11, 2000

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The Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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enclosed please find an executed Declaration/Power of  
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attached for that purpose.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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